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Last week, in a grace-  
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inventory of the estate be made.  
The executors are not required to  
give security.

### Preacher Chastised.

Because he is said to have de-  
clared from the pulpit that a per-  
son who was not baptized would  
go to hell Rev. S. M. West, pastor  
of the Christian church at West,  
Wetzel county, was roughly used  
by members of his congregation.  
One woman whose deceased  
brother had not been baptized is  
alleged to have slapped the min-  
ister's face. Others also attacked  
him.

Rev. Mr. West appeared before  
the grand jury and secured the  
indictment of 48 members of the  
congregation. A number of them  
were fined \$25 each and sent to  
jail for one hour.

printed and distributed  
out the state, bulletins of  
useful information concern-  
construction and mainte-  
highways. All state, and  
district officers are re-  
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missioner, any information  
he may require.

After a warm ses-  
sion of the house judiciary com-  
mittee yesterday night a vote was  
taken on Evans' "Jim Crow"  
bill. A vote of 9 to 1 it was  
reported the bill failed.  
The bill was reported with  
recommendation last week.  
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er, and will accept a like position with another lumber company. Which one has not been decided upon as yet, he having several positions under consideration.

Rev. J. D. Pope preached his last sermon in Marlinton on last Sunday night. There was a large congregation present. He left this week for Staunton where conference is in session and as he has been with us four years he will not be returned to this appointment. Mr. Pope has made many friends during his four years stay here.

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PREACHER HAS SHOWN

See of State Superintendent Miller takes his  
See life.

The body of Dana Paul Miller was found Sunday evening by Charlie McWhorter in the Jefferson club rooms in Charleston, lying in a pool of blood. His throat had been cut with a razor and blood was still slowly oozing from the ghastly wound. Thinking that life possibly existed in the body Mr. McWhorter rushed for assistance and soon had Dr. Putney on the scene but as soon as Dr. Putney examined the body he stated that his life had ebbed with his blood and the young boy had been dead about twenty minutes when discovered.

There seems to have been no motive for the act which robs the world of one of the brightest young men in Charleston. Dana was of a quiet and retiring nature but he had a host of friends who admired his manly ways and his high character. He has been assisting Prof. Miller, at the schools since June.

PREACHER HORSE THIEF

Once Sent From This County is Again  
in the Penitentiary.

For persisting in dealing unlawfully in horse flesh, J. W. Graham, alias J. H. Ratliff has violated his parole, granted him by Governor Dawson on December 22 and was taken back to Moundsville Saturday morning from Parkersburg, where he was arrested Tuesday night by officers, who had a warrant charging Graham or Ratliff with horse-stealing.

From information obtained, it was learned that Hon. J. F. Laird had written the governor, telling him that Graham had "again" been arrested, and wanted to know what action to take in the matter. Frank Lively, the pardon attorney, who is attending to these matters in the absence of Governor Dawson, from the state, advised Mr. Laird that he would

FIVE KILLED

In West as S. & O. Crossed by a Broken  
Rail.

Five persons were killed and several were seriously injured Monday evening in a railway wreck near Kanawha Falls, No. 6, an east-bound passenger train drawn by two heavy engines was running an hour late at a high rate of speed when the accident occurred, which was evidently caused by a broken rail. The engines while derailed, were seriously damaged, but the baggage and express cars were thrown from the track when they struck the broken rail and were overturned.

They were thrown across the track in such a manner as to act as a buffer for the baggage train, which ran up and struck them, pinning the unfortunate victims. The injuries

He has been assisting his father, Prof. Miller, at the department of schools since July and it was in the department that he was highly valued for his integrity and good work. Young Miller had been rather despondent and melancholy for the past three or four days yet none of his friends thought he was brooding anything that would cause him to take his life.

Early in the morning the members of the chess club, who are among the best boys of the city, gathered in the club rooms on Quarrier street and Mr. Miller was among them. He was lying in his room the greater part of the night and had not spoken to but few friends. While walking with Mr. McWhorter he had eaten dinner he told McWhorter that he had been in Charleston and had the idea that everything was against him. McWhorter laughed at him and he was highly relieved by one in the city. That perhaps then he was contemplating taking

communicate with Warden Had-dox at Moundsville, informing him of the situation, and that the warden would send a guard at once to Parkersburg to take Graham back to serve out his term. Upon the completion thereof, he could be arrested on the present charge.

From the penitentiary record it seems that Graham or Ratliff had already served a previous term for horse stealing. He was out a few weeks, when he was again convicted of the same offense, and this time a sentence of ten years was imposed. After serving over five years of his time, he was paroled by Governor Dawson on December 22nd last. In issuing this parole, the governor used the following words: "He shall in all respects conduct himself honestly, avoid evil associations, liquors and in general pursue the course of a law-abiding citizen."

Graham seems to have a mania for stealing horses, and he generally steals valuable ones. He is 54 years of age, and has lived nearly all his life in West Virginia. At one time he was a

passenger in the other cars were due mainly to the shock of the sudden stop when the accident occurred.

Prompt measures were taken for the rescue of the dead, and relief of the injured, and it was but a comparatively short time until all had been accounted for and the work of repairing the tracks, which had been broken for a considerable distance, was under way.

The dead are Ed. W. Bookwith; Silas Vaught, of Cotton Hill; Allen Lepp, press messenger, of Hillman Campbell, of Garfield; Matt Drake, of Ansted. Injured will all recover.

63 Cents a Day

Fourteen children and happy and sup-ports a day. That presented by Bob Hayd, of Simpson, who infinitely less men spend for cig-arettes, for their lives, for not work every day here, without struggle he

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of his congregation. After sev-  
eral escapades, he was dismissed  
from the ministry, and for the last  
ten years he has been arrested  
more than a dozen times. In some  
way or other he has managed to  
get free from most of the charges.

Ratliff was sent up from Poca-  
hontas county for three years at  
the April term, 1898, upon his  
own confession, for horse steal-  
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was stolen from William Miller,  
who then lived on the Isaac Mc-  
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equal to any in appetite

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Neel place between Beard and Burnside, but is now dead. The theft occurred in the winter of 1897-98 at a time when there was considerable snow and slush on the ground. Ratliff was tracked over on Beaver creek when all trace of him was lost. By some means the trail was found on Anthonys creek by Henry Dawson, who followed it into Alleghany county, Va., to the home of a Baptist minister. There the horse was found tied to the fence saddled and bridled. Ratliff had just arrived and was awaiting dinner. Dawson crept up to the door and putting his ear to it found the two divines in an animated discussion over what kind of bait Sampson used to catch the three hundred foxes. Being a trapper and hunter himself, Dawson tried to learn some pointers, but becoming disgusted at the

little wife. And you know she had the care of little folks on her long. She is as cheerful as if the world were them.—Ex.

A Iowa With No

Under the new law the levy of taxes in corporations Harris county, citizens were relieved this year ment of any taxer penses of the cor

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Remember your "silent partner" should have as much of your attention and thoughts as she used to have before you were married. If she did it is a sure bet that she would have some improved house helps as often as you get a new

corporation from the town's gas plant, with eat on the money the deposit in the banks than meet the liberal vided for by the of town.

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The town author niggardly in spending improvements, an splendid financial due to the wise council in acc plant and having term of years, a ful management faire by the pro

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and Thursday afternoon for interment.

### Pastor Installed.

Rev. J. Summers Kennison was installed pastor of Liberty and Baxter Presbyterian churches Sunday, July 2, 1911. The services were conducted by a commission of Greenbrier Presbytery.

At Greenbank at 11 a.m. Rev. J. O. Johnson, of Academy, presided, preached and administered the vows to pastor and people. Rev. A. S. Rachal, of Marlinton, delivered a charge to the pastor and Rev. R. E. Redding, of Falling Spring, delivered a charge to the people. At Dunmore at 8 p.m. Rev. A. S. Rachal presided, preached and administered the vows. Rev. R. E. Redding delivered the charge to the people. Appropriate selections were rendered by the choirs at both places. Assisted at Dunmore by Miss Lou Hiner, now of Fishersville, Va.,

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some time.

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### Rev. Holliday Delivers Sermon

Rev. Holliday of Virginia, preached  
at the Presbyterian Church Sunday  
morning. His sermon was enjoyed  
by the congregation immensely. It  
is expected that he will preach at  
the Presebyterian Church during the  
evenings of the former part of this  
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### Football Squad and Others Go

#### To Morgantown Saturday.

The football squad and several  
other citizens of this city journeyed

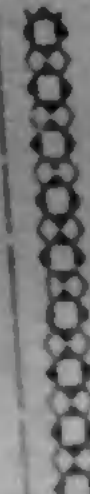

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...is a strong exponent of the law  
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...he seeks as large as to occupy  
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...thought best to engage in has  
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...minded for an intense partisan,  
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...tions, seeing in the agitation of  
...these subjects in platforms and  
...campaign discussions the gener-  
...al progress and betterment of  
...the people. He will have the  
...unanimous support of the  
...Southern tier of counties, and  
...a strong following throughout  
...the state.

### Common School Diploma Examination.

Examinations for common  
school diplomas will be held on  
February 29th and March 1st,  
at the following places: Hun-  
tersville district, Huntersville,  
Moore school house, and Thor-  
ney creek school house.

Levels district: Denmar  
school house, Lobelia school  
house and at Academy.

Edray district: Marlinton,  
Buckeye, The Alderney  
school house, The West Union  
school house and at the home  
Miss Allie C. Gibson.

Greenbank district: Dunmore  
school house, Dunlevie, Durbin,  
Bell and Cass.

The examination will be un-  
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B. B. WILLIAMS.

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### Another Preacher Gone Wrong.

Rev. W. H. H. Joyce, consid-  
ered one of the best preachers  
in the Baltimore Conference,  
and now pastor of Trinity M.  
E. Church, South, at Roanoke,  
Va., was tried by a church  
court at Roanoke last week  
over which Bishop Denny  
presided. The court consisted  
of the following: Revs. J. H.  
Bean, of Roanoke; W. O. Tol-  
bert, of Clifton Forge; C. M.  
Staunton, Christiansburg; G.  
R. Fringer, Newport; T. A. Jor-  
dan, Mt. Olivet; F. A. Tyler,  
Covington; F. E. Hammond,  
Cave Spring; F. J. Prettyman,  
D. D., Washington; A. L. Hans-  
berger, Newcastle; W. M.  
Compton, Waynesboro; H. C.  
Febrey, Buchanan; A. Van  
Devander, and D. M. Brown,  
Salem.

The charge against Mr. Joyce  
was immorality, his offence  
consisting in writing a love  
letter to a married woman. He  
was found guilty by unanimous  
vote and the verdict was exclu-  
sion from the ministry and  
from the church. Rev. R. H.  
Hamil, of Blacksburg, prosecut-  
ed the case, while the defense  
was conducted by Rev. E.  
Register, of Baltimore. C. M.  
Joyce, brother of the preacher,  
considers the conviction an  
outrage and says he will seek  
redress in the civil courts.

Mrs. Osenton Institutes Suit

for \$100,000 Damages.

Sum of \$100,000

in the Feder-

district

He left there and went to Charleston, working as bar-tender for several of the local saloons. About five years ago, through the indirect instrumentality of Peter Billman and the direct effort of Rev. J. W. Johnson, he was converted and became an ardent earnest worker in the M. E. church, last year being licensed to preach at the district conference held at Clay court house. Never an opportunity to do good work for God and His church has he lost sight of. One of his principal works since being licensed to preach has been to hold services in the Kanawha county jail, as one of the Prison Committee of the W. C. T. U., and in this capacity has had wonderful success, having had more than a hundred conversions as a result of his endeavors. But always there was an unrest, a feeling of an urgent duty left undone, and many times he was burdened for those souls to whom he had handed out intoxicants at Dry Branch. During 1910 he visited Dry Branch several times, taking a number of members of the Laymen's Association with him, and numerous conversions was the outcome.